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Kombinat 241

The ore mining plan for July 1956 was fulfilled, (with the exception of progress in mine exploitation) as follows:

> High-grade ore 130% (Kistenerz) Gallery advance 3.00% 93% Mine exploitation

The following plan has been approved for August 1956: ъ.

> 4,100 boxes Kistenerz Aktive Masse, Type 1 Aktive Masse, Type 2 6,500 metric tons 1,650 metric tons Mine exploitation 7,500 square meters 1,850 meters Gallery advance Depth (Teufe) 45 meters Geological testing 550 meters Heading (Ueberhau) 550 meters

2. Kombinat 277

The planned figures for July were fulfilled as follows:

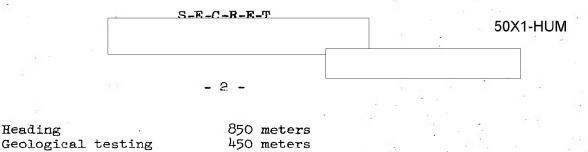
110% Kistenerz 105% Gallery advance 1.05% Mine exploitation

The following plan has been approved for August 1956:

11,850 hoxes Mine exploitation 14,500 square meters Gallery advance 4.900 meters S-E-C-R-E-T

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Kombinat 241

- a. Test borings are in progress on a layer of granite at Level (Sohle) ll, with the purpose of assessing its thickness and discovering possible uranium deposits which may lie beyond it.
- b. During July and August 1956 rapid gallery advance at Sohle 8 was achieved as part of an operation to discover whether the ore vein at this level runs steeply downward. The advance which was made (500 meters in 30 days) was the result of the so-called Russian Zyklus working method, tried out for the first time at Kombinar 241. The method divides work as follows:
 - (1) 28 men work 4 six-hour shifts on a seven-day week. They are relieved at the scene of operations.
 - (2) They keep a rigid working round of:

boring - one hour firing/ or stemming - twenty minutes ventilating - twenty minutes clearing up - one hour

- 4. On 1 September 1956 Kombinat 241 will work only two dail; shifts. The shaft administration (Schachtleitung) at present does not intend to reduce the working strength and has decided on this change as in attempt to reduce
- 5. An unspecified number of self-loading machines is being introduced into Kombinat 241. Under the norm system each machine is expected to load 380 cubic meters of ore per month.

Kombinat 254/Bergen

An old Schacht is being reopened at Vogelsgruen under the direction of the geological division of Objekt 6.

So far only inferior ore has been struck but the prospectors are optimistic. Their main difficulty has been unusual quantities of water in the workings.

7. Paul Gabriel, former personnel director of Objekt 6 has been appointed chief of the shaft (Schachtleiter) and Waldemar Dogan, a former dispatcher, has been appointed chief mechanic.

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Soviet Personnel

8.	a.2	Ztadnichenko	has returned to the USSR and is being represented by the present business manager (Wirtschaftsleiter) of Object 6. Yevtyukhov. 50X1-HUM
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	c.	Chevyakova,	previously economist (Cekonomin) at Kombinat 241, has been appointed Oekonomin at Objekt 6.
,	d.	Blinov	formerly head of a supplies office at Objekt 6 has been appointed head of Section (Abteilung) 1 of Objekt 6.
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9. On 3 and 4 August 1956, units of the East German police (KVP) replaced the Russian guards at all the shafts (Schaechte) of Objekt 6. Russian guards have been retained in the ore store of Kombinat 241 and at Objekt 32 (Schneckenstein) to guard material at the final stage of its processing.

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